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## Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending May 3, 2003

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There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending May 3, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 70,454 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was down 3,404 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 66,715 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 6,362 a decrease of 1,462 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported in one manufactured home plant, one motor vehicle-related plant, one industrial fan manufacturer and one steel mill during the week.

Continued UI claims were down to 63,578. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

### UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$14,181,159
EUC Benefits Paid	\$3,045,152
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$304,927,113
Trust fund balance	\$925,587,747

### Unemployment Insurance Trends

